

2009 Anesthesia Services Fee Schedule				
Effective Beginning October 1, 2008				
Anesthesia Conversion Factor	Allowance			
Anesthesiologist	\$15.83			
Independent CRNA	\$15.83			
Medically Directed CRNA	\$14.25			
Epidural Allowable				
Epidurals are a fee schedule allowable without regard to time units.				
The maximum allowable is paid only to the practitioner who inserts the epidural needle.				
01967 - AA	\$461.00			
01968 - AA	\$195.00			
Time Units will be based upon 15 minute units rounded to the nearest tenth.				
Minutes should be reported in the Days/Units field of the claim form.				
Anesthesiologist Modifiers				
AA - Anesthesia services performed personally by anesthesiologist (includes reimbursement of any CRNA service)				
QK - Medical direction of two, three, or four concurrent anesthesia procedures involving individuals				
QY - Medical direction of one CRNA by an anesthesiologist				
AD - Medical direction of more than four concurrent procedures involving qualified individuals				
CRNA Modifiers				
QX - CRNA service: with medical direction by a physician.				
QZ - CRNA service: <i>without</i> medical direction by a physician.				
NOTE: Fee Schedule prices are subject to change without prior notification				